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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: George H. Kramer
Serial No.: 09/830082
Filed: April 20, 2001
Title: ACUPRESSURE DEVICE

Examiner: Kathryn Odland
Group: Art Unit: 3743
Docket No: 1197.001US3

PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed September 29, 2003, said period of response being extended from December 29, 2003 to March 29, 2004.

Applicant submits this Petition to maintain pendency of the instant application and to file a continuation application, claiming the benefit of priority of the instant application.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$475.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

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